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| **Ponyboy Before** | **Major Event** | **Ponyboy After** |
| *Thought all socs were stuck-up and completely different from Greasers.* | *Met Cherry Valance* | It doesn’t matter what group you are in, anyone can have positive or negative qualities. |
| Ponyboy thought Johnny was really shy |  |  |
| Ponyboy and Darry disagree about everything |  |  |
| Ponyboy thought that Dally didn’t love anyone |  |  |

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**Thesis Statement: Ponyboy’s changes in *The Outsiders* help us understand the explicit theme of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ BECAUSE 1) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3) and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**